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BIG MUSCLES - SMASHING STRENGTH GLOWING HEALTH!

I'll Prove in the first 7 days - that I can Make You a New Man!

DO YOU want big, smashing, sledge-hammer muscles all over your body? Husky, broad shoulders? A deep, powerful chest? All the pep and vigor of a "hard as nails" athlete?

Give me just 7 days—one short week. That's all I need to give you the **PROOF** that I can make you a new man—give you a real he-man build and glowing health that resists sickness, ends pimples, skin blemishes, constipation and other troubles.

Read the reports below from just a few of the hundreds of fellows whose bodies I have made over. That's the kind of **RESULTS** you can get with my discovery—*Dynamic Tension*. My free book, "Everlasting Health and Strength," tells how I can give **YOU** a body that women will admire and men will envy.

The 97-lb. Weakling Who Became "The World's Most Perfectly Developed Man"

I **LOOK** at this new photo of me. This is exactly how I look today. Yet once I was a soft, skinny, 97-lb. weakling! I always felt lousy, self-conscious, never had good times—couldn't eat a square meal and feel well afterward. Then I discovered the secret of *Dynamic Tension*—my entirely new and different method of body building. It changed my entire life—gave me the body you see here. It has twice won for me the title, "The World's Most Perfectly Developed Man!" And what my amazing system did for me—what it has done for hundreds of other fellows like yourself—it can now do for **YOU**, too!

I took up that prize with **RESTLESS**—equal RESULTS. You begin to **SEEK** and **FREE** the difference of size. Weight, more, is a natural, too, to build a body with my *Dynamic Tension* Way! At home, in just a few minutes of your spare time daily. And you don't have to buy any equipment or rollers that might strain your back or other vital organs.

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SILVER CUP GIVEN AWAY

This winning cup, made of solid sterling silver, stands about 14 in. high on a black Mahogany base.

I will award it to my pupil who makes the most improvement in his development within the next three months. Therefore, no matter what your measurements are, just do them. You have an equal chance to win this cup for permanent possession—**MAIL WITH YOUR NAME** enclosed on 10.

Get this FREE BOOK!



PETE FIVE INCHES on Chest!
"Chest gained one five inches, arms one two inches. Nervous troubles and muscular pain. Have gained ten pounds. Feel like new man!" — **George Louis Faldstone**, West Middleboro, Ohio.

Health 100% Better
"Benefits wonderful! This week my arm increased one in., chest one in., Health 100% better!" — **William Eason**, Cincinnati, O.

Gained 20 lbs.
"Gained twenty lbs., Biceps, 15 1/2, triceps and large powerful shoulders. Back of body well proportioned and hard as rock!" — **Howard Miller**, Wichita, Kans.

Results in 1 WEEK!
"Just a week ago I started. What a difference already! Before, my chest was 35 in., normal and 34 1/2 expanded. Now it's 55 1/2 in., normal and 58 1/2 expanded!" — **Frank Beretta**, Yonkers, N. Y.

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I want the great list your system of *Dynamic Tension* will make a New Man of me. I'll be a beautiful looking body and big, glowing, developed, hard and most live look. "Everlasting Health and Strength."

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City State



TO THE HALF MILLION -

TO THE half million people who will peruse the pages of this magazine we extend greetings and honest wishes for happy Vacation Days. We give you here a publication which we sincerely believe will help to brighten an afternoon on the porch of your summer bungalow or cabin, a cheery magazine with which to while away hours in your easy chair or even aboard the train on your way to the family rendezvous.

A magazine of this sort is like a good old-time vaudeville show. It is balanced and timed to meet the pleasure requirements of the people. At the theatre that used to be you saw the trapeze artists, the jugglers, the song-and-dance man, the black-face comedians, and a sketch. There were animal acts and magicians. Here we give you in pictures and words the same grand wide variety of entertainment. We hope to hear a hand-clap somewhere — perhaps from far up in the balcony. No? Well, we're trying, and that's something.

THE EDITORS.

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THE FURTHER ADVENTURES of JANE & JOHNNY

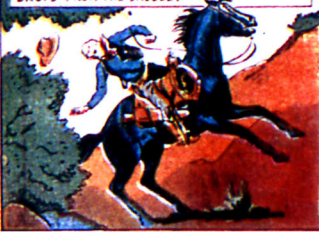
By W.M. Allison

JANE AND JOHNNY FOUND ANOTHER EXIT FROM THE CAVE WHERE THEY HAD BEEN HELD CAPTIVE.

CAPTAIN BILL HAS PICKED UP THE TRAIL AND FOLLOWED ALMOST TO THE CAVE. BUT RIO RED, THE OUTLAW, IS WAITING FOR HIM!



AT THE CRACK OF THE RIFLE, CAPTAIN BILL DROPS FROM THE SADDLE!



BUT THE OLD RANGER WASN'T HIT!

THAT WAS A CLOSE SHAVE!
I'LL WORK THE OLD BOOT TRICK ON THE VARMINT!
HE'LL SNEAK DOWN HERE TO SEE IF HE GOT ME. AN' THEN —!

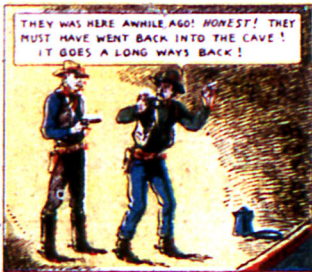
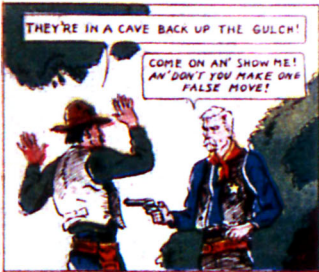


GOT HIM COLD! HE WON'T MAKE NO MORE TROUBLE FOR US!



DROP THAT GUN AN' START TALKIN', FELLER!
I WON'T WASTE MUCH TIME ON A BUSH-WHACKIN' SKUNK LIKE YOU! WHERE'S THOSE KIDS!





PHIL 'n SOFIE

by D. Ebbles

INTRODUCING-**IE**

LADIES
FIRST!



PHIL



PHIL- AINT YOU NEVAH
GONNA DE-LIVER MIZ
BEGUM'S WARSHIN?

EH? AH'S JUST
A GOIN' TO!



'SIDES-- FO' A MAN WHO'S
CARRIED A FLAG- TRAIPSIN'
'ROUND WIF A WARSHIN'
AINT HELPIN' MY DIGNITY
NONE!

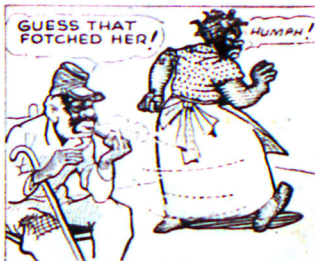


YOU AINT
FO'GOT-
IS YOU?



GUESS THAT
FOTCHED HER!

HUMPH!

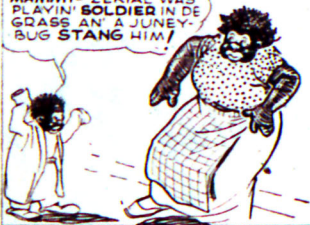




OUHTA BE SOME WAY T'GIT
HIM ONGLUED FUM DAT OLE
ROCKIN' CHAIR!



MAMMY-'ZEKIAL WAS
PLAYIN' SOLDIER IN DE
GRASS AN' A JUNEY-
BUG STANG HIM!



LET MAMMY PUT SOME NICE-
COOL MUD ON YO'
HEAD-HONEY!

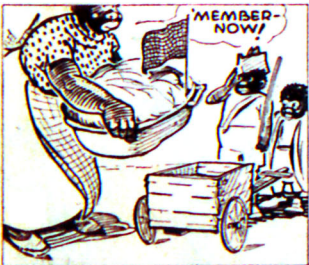
SHO'
'NOUGH



NOW YOU CHILLUN
GONNA BE REAL
SOLDIERS!



MEMBER-
NOW!



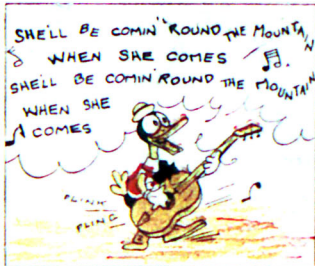
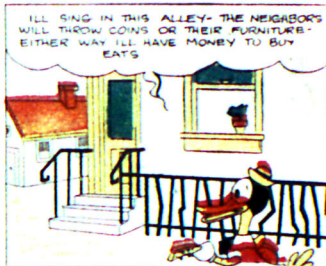
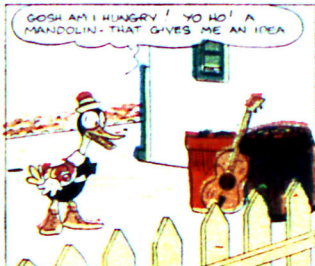
MAMMY DONE RAISED A BATTLE
FLAG ON MIZ BEGUM'S WARSHIN'
AN' SHE SAY YOU
GOTTA LEAD DE
PA-RADE --
PAPPY!

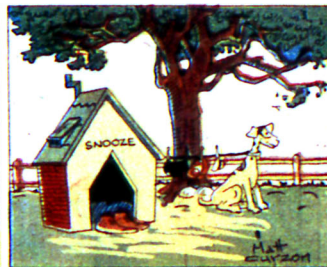
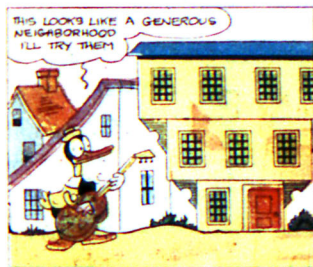
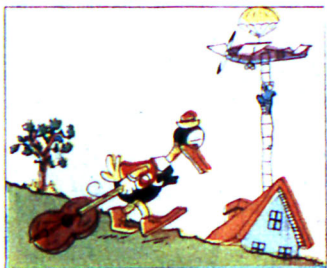
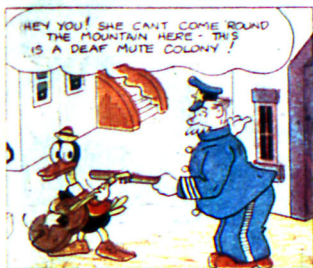


DICKIE DUCK

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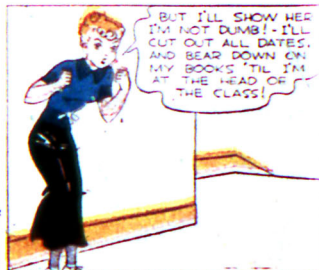
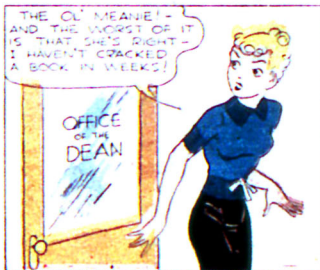
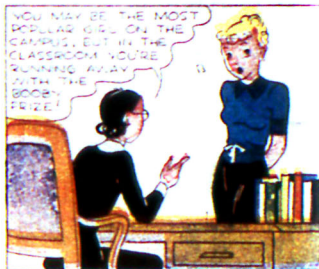
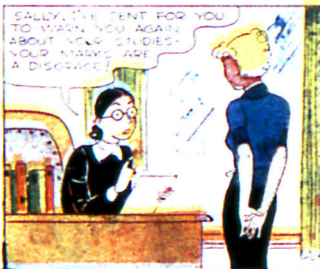
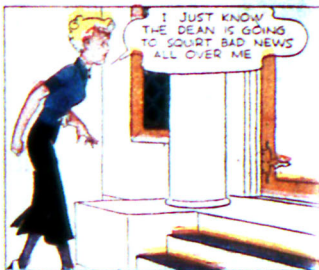
LAST MONTH DICKIE RAN AWAY FROM THE FARM TO AVOID A SPANKING-- DICKIE IS NOW WITHOUT A HOME.

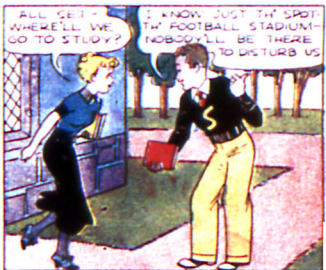
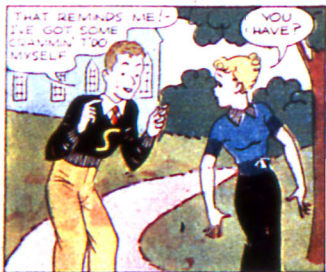




SALLY THE SOPH

by
FRANK
REILLY

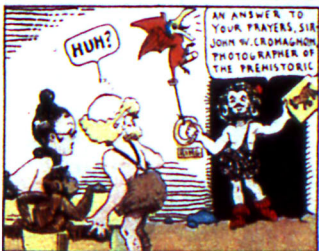


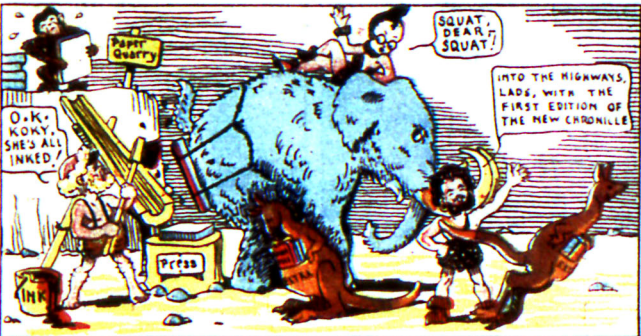
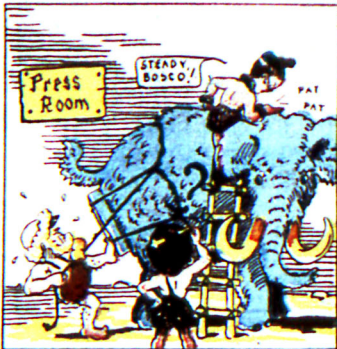


THE AGE OF STONE



by DOWLING





SKIPPER HAM SHANKS

BY JOHN PATTERSON



THE BOYS RECOVERED A VAST FORTUNE IN GOLD FROM AN OLD SUNKEN VESSEL. THEIR ENEMY SULTAN SOURPUSS HAS TRIED TO SWINDLE THEM OUT OF THEIR CLAIM.



BLAZES SPIKE! WHY ALL TH' GLOOMY LOOK-AINT CHA SATISFIED?

OH, YES. BUT I'M WORRIED ABOUT THAT LITTLE SKINFLENT SULTAN SOURPUSS' MATES



HO HO! HAR HAR! WHY WORRY ABOUT THAT SHRIMP?

HE CAN DO US NO BODILY HARM-WITH ALL OF OUR READY CASH

YA! DONT KNOW TH' LITTLE SHARK MATES!



WELL, CUT OUT TH' TEARS-AN' LETS GO BLOW OURSELVES TO NEW RIGGIN'!

OK BOYS BUT I'M STILL WORRIED

IF MOTHER ONL KNEW HER WAY WARD SON IS A MILLIONAIRE



SOL, HERE'S TH' BEST TAILOR ON TH' ISLAND -IN FACT TH' ONLY ONE.

COULD I BE SELLING YOU SOMETHING, YES!

I WOULD LIKE A DIGNIFIED SWALLOW TAIL SUIT-TO MATCH MY FINANCIAL POSITION.



DOT'S NICE-BUT I COULD FIT YOU MUCH BETTER DOT'S A LEEETLE BIG!

HMM NOT BAD



NOT FOR ME. IM A BIG MAN WITH ALL OF MY READY CASH.

SPIKE!

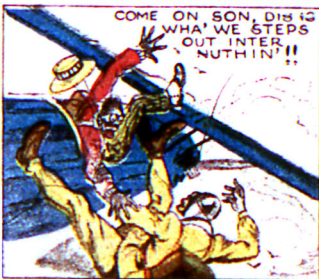
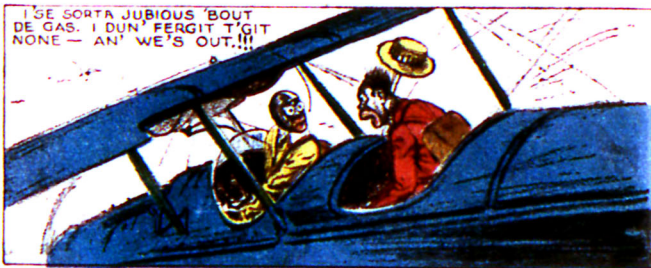
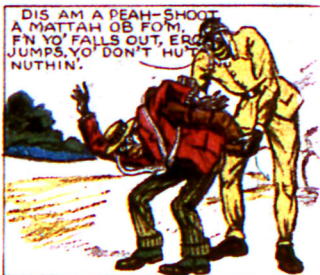
SULTAN SOURPUSS'S HAS DECLARED WAR ON US-HE'S MOBILIZING HIS ARMY!

I KNEW IT!



FREAKS of LUCK

by Livingstone





EVOLUTION OF A PARACHUTE.



QUITTA CROWDIN'
ME BOY! USE YO'
OWN PEAH-SHOOT.



PULL DAT RING, NIGGAH
AN' GIT ON YO' OWN
SIDE OB DE SKY !!



AH CUD'NT
PULL HIT
WIF YOU
HOLDIN
M'AHM.



AM DIS' HEBBEN?



AH 'LOWED WE WAS BOUN'
FO' GLORY—
AN HEAH WE IS !!!

JACK DOLITTLE

By Denis Yuknis
(Iron)

HAVE YOU SEEN THIS ROOKIE DOLITTLE 'ROUND ANYWHERE? HE'S DUE TO PITCH TODAY!"

NO I HAVEN'T SEEN HIM— BUT I'LL HELP YOU TO LOOK FOR HIM!"

LATER

HAVE YOU SEEN HIM YET?

NO—NOT YET!"

FOR THE LOVE OF MIKE!

THE GUY IS SLEEPING LIKE A LOG!

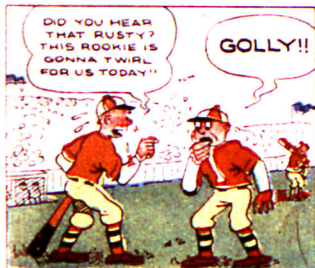
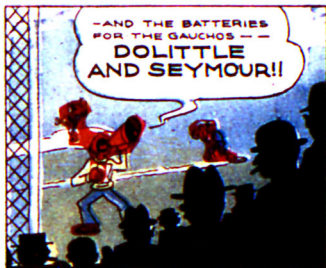
THE LAZY BUM!"

THIS SHOULD WAKE HIM UP!"

GET UP! THIS IS A FINE WAY TO TRAIN!"

WHAT'S THE MATTER WITH YOU TWEERDS? DIDN'T YOU EVER HEAR OF BALLPLAYERS TRAINING IN THE SPRING?

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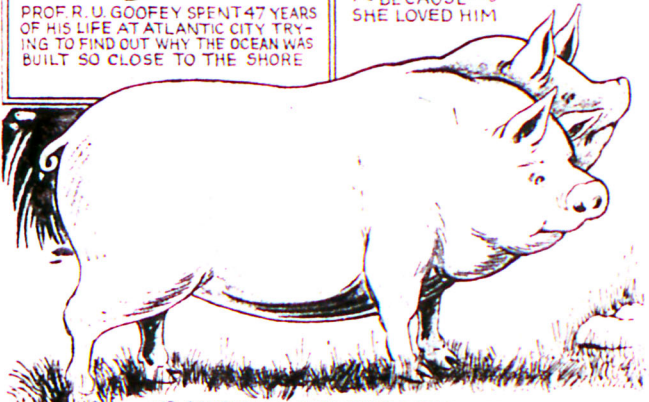
NOW I'LL TELL



PROF. R. U. GOOFEY SPENT 47 YEARS OF HIS LIFE AT ATLANTIC CITY TRYING TO FIND OUT WHY THE OCEAN WAS BUILT SO CLOSE TO THE SHORE



EXTRA!
SHE KILLED HIM
~ BECAUSE ~
SHE LOVED HIM



MR. SQUEEOINK~ THE LUTHER BURBANK OF THE ANIMAL WORLD~ RAISES TWO HEADED PIGS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE MAKERS OF HOGSHEAD CHEESE

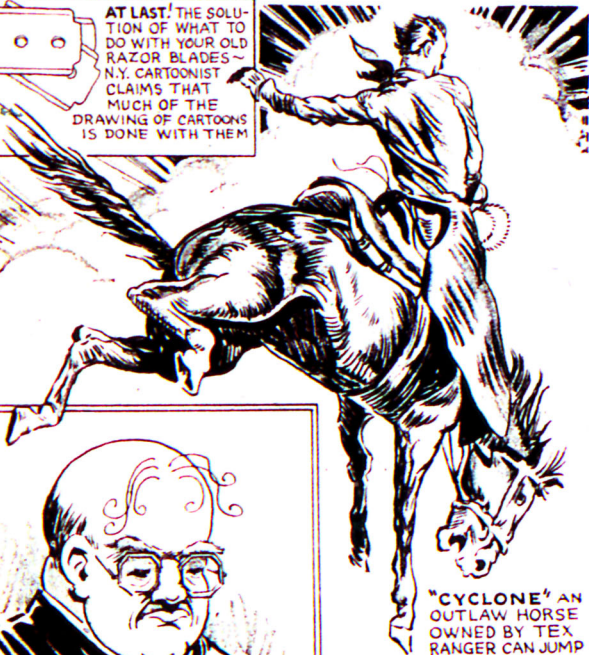
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REG. U.S.
PAT. OFF.

by DIC



AT LAST! THE SOLUTION OF WHAT TO DO WITH YOUR OLD RAZOR BLADES ~ N.Y. CARTOONIST CLAIMS THAT MUCH OF THE DRAWING OF CARTOONS IS DONE WITH THEM



"CYCLONE" AN OUTLAW HORSE OWNED BY TEX RANGER CAN JUMP HIGHER THAN THE EMPIRE STATE BLDG



BENJ. F. SKEETS HAS NOT TOLD A LIE IN 64 YEARS — HE'S BEEN DEAD THAT LONG

DIC

DINKY by WALT MUNSON

MONDAY - SCHOOL'S OUT - NOTHING TO DO BUT LOAF ALL SUMMER -- HEY FATSO! THREE CHEERS FOR THE GOOD OLD VACATION TIME -



TUESDAY - MOTHER STARTS HOUSECLEANING. HAVE TO BEAT RUGS, WASH WINDOWS --- CAN GET OUT TO PLAY TOMORROW -



WEDNESDAY - AFTER I RAKE UP AROUND THE YARD, CUT THE GRASS AND SWEEP OFF THE SIDE WALK -



THURSDAY - SISTER HAS TO GO TO DANCING SCHOOL SO - I HAVE TO MIND THE BABY AND TAKE HIM OUT FOR A WALK



FRIDAY - MOTHER HAS A CLUB MEETING ON -- MUST HELP IN THE KITCHEN SO SHE CAN GET DRESSED AND DOWN TOWN ON TIME



SATURDAY - HAS TO TAKE MUSIC LESSON. MUMBLES SOME-THING ABOUT THIS BEING A PIP OF A WAY TO SPEND A VACATION :



WALT MUNSON

ALFY ELEPHANT

by
STAN ANDAL

OW! MY TOOTH IS JUMPIN' AWFUL AN' MOM SAID SHE'D GIMME A LICKIN' IF I COME HOME AGAIN WITHOUT HAVIN' UT PULLED

LOOKS LIKE I'M IN FOR UT NO MATTER HOW VA LOOK AT UT!

BUT I'LL TAKE A BEATIN' BEFORE I LET ANY OL' DENTUST YANK ME INSIDE OUT!

THAT'S A BAD LOOKING JAW - ARE YOU AFRAID TO HAVE TH' TOOTH OUT?

W-WHO - ME? SAY - I'M ONE OF TH' BRAVEST KIDS I EVER SAW!

SHUCKS! THERE'S NUTHIN' TO IT! I WOULDN'T MIND HAVIN' ONE OR TWO PULLED EVERY DAY

YES, IF YOU HAVE THE NERVE BLOCKED IT IS PRACTICALLY PAINLESS

BLOCK NOTHIN'! I JEST GET IN TH' DENTUST CHAIR AN' TELL HIM TO YANK 'ER OUT! SHUCKS WHAT'S A LITTLE PAIN?

DR. PAYNE

Y-Y-YUH MEAN Y-YOU'RE A DENTUST?

WELL - HERE'S MY OFFICE - WE'LL HAVE THAT TOOTH OUT IN TWO JERKS!

EEOW!
MURDER
OWOOOOO!
I'M DYING!
OOOH!

I'M JUST LOOKING AT IT - MYOWY! YOU MAKE PLENTY NOISE FOR SUCH A BRAVE YOUNG MAN

GEE! SOME TUSK! DIDJA HOLLER MUCH, ALFY?

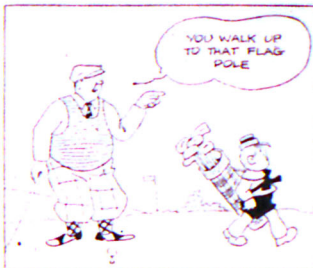
NAW! I WOULD'A HAD 'EM ALL YANKED IF MOM'D LET ME

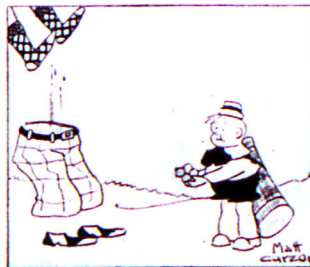
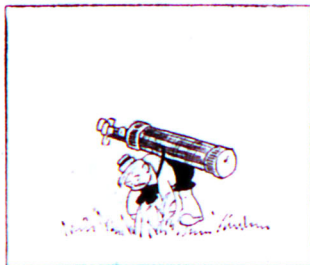
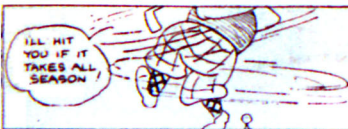
YER KINDA PALE!

FREDDIE BELL

HE MEANS WELL

by
Matt
Curzon





The RED AVENGER

BY ELLIS EDWARDS

THE DISCOVERY OF GOLD IN CALIFORNIA CHANGED THE FOOTHILLS OF THE SIERRA NEVADA MOUNTAINS INTO A TESTING GROUND FOR THE THREE DRIVING FORCES OF MANKIND-
GREED·FEAR·HATRED!
MURDERED 4200 - SUICIDES 1400
STARVED-SHIPWRECKED -ETC-7500

HELLO-CHINA BOY-YOU WON'T FIND NO GOLD IN THAT THERE HOLE 'CAUSE ME 'N MY PARDNER SCRAPED IT CLEANER 'N A HOUND'S TOOTH!

ALLEE SAME FINDEE NUGGET IN HOLE!

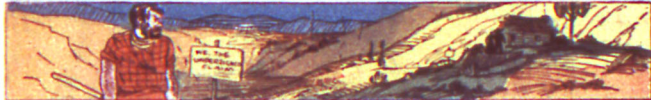
WAL-I'LL BE-- NO CHINK'S GONNA MAKE A FOOL O'ME!

HEY BOYS-THIS YELLOW HEATHEN'S STEALIN' GOLD FROM US RIGHT 'N LEFT!

I'M GONNA CUT HIS PIGTAIL OFF!

AIN'T THAT A JIM-DANDY NUGGET? GOOD THING I HAPPENED ALONG OR JIM N'ME WOULD'VE LOST IT

THIS THRILLING STORY APPEARS EXCLUSIVELY IN



THESE FUNNY PAGES — FOLLOW EVERY ISSUE

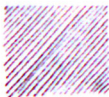
LEARN CARTOONING

by J.A. PATTERSON—

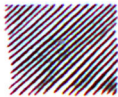
LESSON 3. PEN AND INK LINES



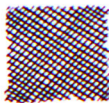
ALWAYS WORK WITH THE LIGHT COMING OVER YOUR LEFT SHOULDER—AND MATERIALS AT YOUR RIGHT.



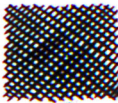
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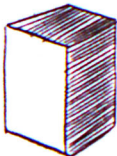
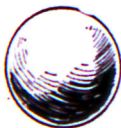
D.

DRAW ON A GOOD HARD FINISHED PAPER. A GOOD ALL-AROUND PEN IS A GILLOTT NO. 170. USE BLACK WATER-PROOF INK. IF YOU HAVEN'T A DRAWING BOARD—A BREAD BOARD WILL DO.

PRACTICE THESE SIMPLE PEN LINES UNTIL YOU CAN DRAW THEM FREELY.



MAKE FIGURES AND OBJECTS SIMILAR TO THESE AND SHADE THEM.



WATCH FOR LESSON 4. NEXT ISSUE.



— LESSON WORK —

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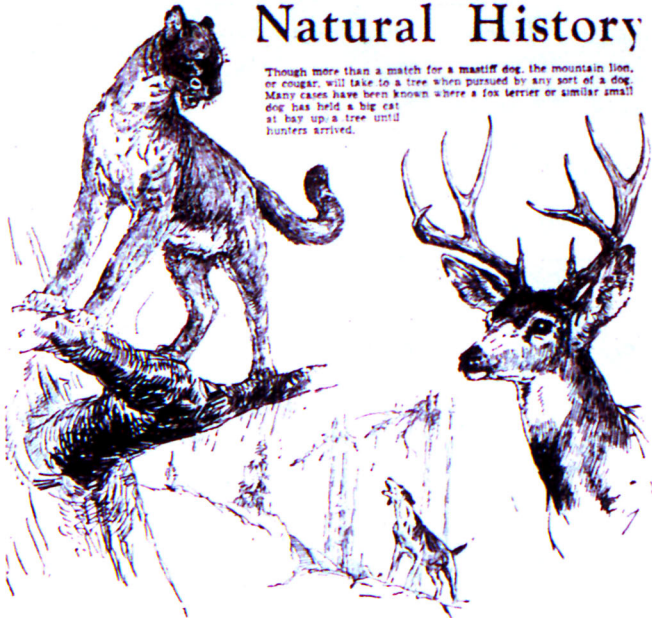
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Natural History

Though more than a match for a mastiff dog, the mountain lion, or cougar, will take to a tree when pursued by any sort of a dog. Many cases have been known where a fox terrier or similar small dog has held a big cat at bay up a tree until hunters arrived.



Once mountain lions, called panthers by early settlers, were found throughout the east. Now the Rockies are their last stronghold. Naturalists claim that a toll of a deer a week is levied on our game herds. Mule deer and the kindred blacktail of the Pacific coast are the chief victims. Yet so plentiful have these deer become in both the Glacier and Yellowstone National Parks that now cougars too, are given protection as a natural check on too great an increase of the deer.



Like the young of all species of cats, except tigers, mountain lion kittens are born spotted. One to six comprise a litter, born almost any month in the year, though late autumn seems an unfavorable time.



By Howard L. Hastings

Distinguished American Animal Artist'

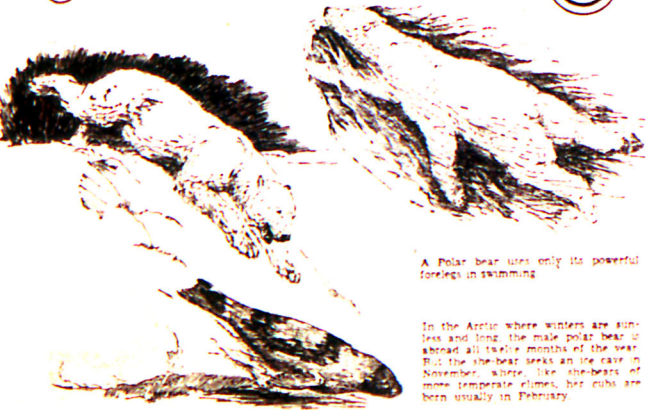
Early in February, during the hibernation period, bear cubs are born. Compared to their mother's size they are the smallest of all animals at birth. Were a setter's newborn pups of the same proportionate size they would be as small as mice. Helpless and blind for weeks, the cubs snuggle against the warm robe of the mother. They grow rapidly and, as spring calls the she-bear from her den, the cubs are able to follow.



East of the Mississippi black bears are always black, usually with a tan muzzle, occasionally a white spot on the breast. But in the Rocky Mountains two color phases of black bears occur. Very often two colors are found in the same litter. The little fellow on his back is a cinnamon cub, the second color phase. The other two are regulation blacks.



Bear cubs' play is often very rough



A Polar bear uses only its powerful forelegs in swimming

In the Arctic where winters are sunless and long, the male polar bear is abroad all twelve months of the year. But the she-bear seeks an ice cave in November, where, like she-bears of more temperate climes, her cubs are born usually in February.

JUNIOR LIBRARY

BY FRANCES HOPE

SINCE this issue of the Comics Magazine **FUNNY PAGES** will come to you when most of you are thinking of the out-of-doors, of mountains, lakes and sea-shore, I think it a good time to tell you of as many out-door and animal books as I can. Some of them would be lovely to take along on your vacation trips.

NOW FOR CREATURES. By Shelby Shackelford, published by Charles Scribner's Sons, New York, and costing two dollars, is the story of a little boy whose mother moves with him into the country. He becomes gradually acquainted with the habits and appearance of all the little creatures which are easily found and studied in almost any part of our country. Turtles, frogs, snails, ants, caterpillars and butterflies all come under his delighted eyes, and the illustrations by the author are wonderful. It is a fine book to take with you right out of doors as it is sturdy and strong enough to stand almost anything but a heavy rain.

A PATRIOT LAD OF OLD CONNECTICUT. By Russell Gordon Carter. Here is the story of a boy who played his own small part in the events that occurred when Danbury, Connecticut, was burned by Governor Tison's troops during the American Revolution. Owen Mansfield's adventures began on the day that Danbury learned of the execution of Nathan Hale. Owen's father had a plan to develop a tract of land on wild and little known Dark Mountain, but this plan was discovered by a Tory sympathizer, and Owen and his friend had a sixty mile race to outwit the villain. The boys felt sure that the mountain must hide a gold mine, but they discovered that the land contained something just as important as gold to the Continental Army. How they got to town just as the British were setting fire to the homes in Danbury and how they kept the redcoats from learning their secret makes this a most interesting story of the struggle of the War for Independence. Published by The Penn Publishing Company, Philadelphia, Pa. The price one dollar and fifty cents.

MITTY AND MR. SYRUP. By Ruth Langland Holberg. This book is for little girls. Mitty, who was only six and one half, lived in the little village of Greenfield, Wisconsin, and was friends with everyone in the place. She was a good friend of Mrs. Johnson, the dressmaker, who kept Mitty supplied with scraps of pretty materials to make dresses for Sarah Ann, her doll and constant companion. She was also friends with Mrs. Schmidt who ran the German bakery and had a music box that played lovely tunes. But best of all she liked the town milk man, Mr. Syrup. However, Mr. Syrup was a dreadful tease, and whenever he brought the milk he pretended that he was going to take Sarah Ann home with him. One day after his usual visit the beloved doll was missing! Mitty searched all afternoon, all through the village before she found Sarah Ann and a fine new friend at the same time. This book is published by Doubleday, Doran and Company, Garden City, N. Y., and the price is two dollars.

MOUNTAIN NEIGHBORS. By Edith M. Patch and Carroll Lane Fenton, published by the Macmillan Company of New York, price one dollar and fifty cents.

This is a group of stories about the animals who live in the Rocky Mountain section of our country. The porcupine, the mountain lion, the pretty little ground squirrel, the Rocky Mountain sheep and many others are the characters of the fourteen stories in the book. Their adventures are very exciting. There are sixteen beautiful drawings by Doctor Fenton. The book would make a delightful companion for a summer vacation.



ARGH, THE TALE OF A TIGER. By M. F. Buckingham. A certain Indian Rajah had a beautiful tigress which he kept in a cage on his estate, but on the occasion of the Rajah's wedding, the tigress, terrified by the fireworks thrown into her cage by celebrating natives, snapped the lock on her cage and escaped into the jungle, where she found her mate and took up her life in the wild. Some time later her cub, Argh, the hero of the story was born. A Forest Officer named Mainwaring rescued the cub from a jungle fire, where his mother perished, and named him Argh, which is the Hindi word for fire. He became the pet and companion of the officer until a circus proprietor who coveted the possession of such a magnificent animal, secured him by a trick when Mainwaring was ill. However, no one could make Argh into a performing circus tiger, and he was very miserable.

The end of the story is both dramatic and touching. Hitherto lions seemed to have been monopolizing most wild animal stories, and this fine life story of a tiger is welcome indeed. The book is magnificently illustrated with photographs of animals in their wild state, leopards, elephants, deer, bear, monkeys and hyenas. The tiger photographs are superb. Published by Charles Scribner's Sons, New York, at a price of three dollars.

295 AMERICAN BIRDS. published by the University of Minnesota Press, Minneapolis, Minnesota, price two dollars. Only the fact that these magnificent colored pictures of American Birds have previously appeared in a more expensive form make it possible for them to be published at such a remarkably low price. There is no text, only an index. The pages are large and the colors those of actual life, and the reproduction perfect. Any boy or girl who is interested in our American birds and wants accurate information concerning their appearance and background, would be more than delighted with this beautiful book.

STAMP COLLECTORS

By Prof. Phillip S. Pace

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And for this issue we are going far down beyond the equator for our stamps and their history. This is the Ecuador-Darwin number.

DARWIN AND THE TORTOISES Galapagos Islands Issue of Ecuador

SOUTH American stamps usually honor liberators, dictators and statesmen, so this recent Ecuador issue commemorating the one hundredth anniversary of Charles Darwin's visit to the Galapagos Islands is a welcome and interesting variation.

It consists of six beautiful stamps. The 2 centavo gray stamp, appropriately enough, gives a map of the Galapagos Islands, which lie five hundred miles west of Ecuador, include twelve large and several hundred small islands, and are remarkable for the abundance of their animal life.

On the 5c green stamp we see an iguana, the huge South American lizard; and on the 10c brown stamp is one of the giant tortoises which give the islands their name, "Galapagos," Spanish for tortoises. Formerly fifteen different species flourished in this animal paradise, until passing whalers discovered their value as fresh meat and practically exterminated them. Some of these tortoises grow to be four feet long and weigh four or five hundred pounds. It is said that they are the oldest living animals on the earth—some of them are supposed to be hundreds of years old—and perhaps there lives today in the Galapagos some wrinkled old tortoise who was alive when Columbus discovered America, and saw Darwin on his visit in 1835.



The 20c violet stamp shows a picture of Charles Darwin, a great discoverer in the realm of science, who first advanced the theory of evolution. Underneath is a picture of the "Beagle" in which he visited the Galapagos. The 2-sucres blue stamp shows a view of one of the beautiful inlets where the Beagle may well have cast anchor; and the 1s red stamp commemorates another great discoverer, Columbus, who is always a popular subject on South American stamps.

Everybody knows about Columbus' famous voyage in the "Santa Maria," but few perhaps are aware



that Charles Darwin's five-year cruise in the Beagle was in its own way almost as epoch-making. The Beagle was a small, ten-gun brig sent out by the British government to make a survey of the coast of Patagonia and the South Sea Islands. When Darwin was offered the position of naturalist on the expedition, he at first refused. He had just graduated from Cambridge and was thinking of studying for the ministry. His father did not want him to go, and the captain of the ship, who fancied himself as a physiognomist, felt a prejudice against the young naturalist on account of the shape of his nose! Then Darwin changed his mind; the church lost a rather unpromising candidate and science gained one of its greatest names. The observations he made during his five years on board the Beagle were the foundation of all of Darwin's later work and the starting point for his great theory of evolution.

FOR many years the general belief had been that all living species were unchanged and unchanging; that is, once a monkey always a monkey, and once a man always a man. But when Darwin noticed the countless varieties among the same species on the different islands in the Galapagos, he was not so sure. The idea slowly grew in his mind that living creatures were not as they had been from the day when Adam named them in the Garden of Eden, but that a continuous process of selection was always going on by which only the stronger and more successful species tended to survive, while the weaker ones were gradually weeded out.

This great theory was evolved over a period of many years as Darwin, with his wonderful patience and mastery grasp of facts, continued to gather data from all parts of the world. Not until 1859, twenty-four years after his visit to the tortoises, did he publish his great book, "The Origin of Species by Means of Natural Selection." This book caused one of the most tremendous upheavals which has ever occurred in the world of thought. Only recently has the furor excited by this revolutionary discovery begun to die down, and only in the last few years has the world at large accepted the doctrine of evolution as an established fact.

It was highly fitting, then, that in 1935 Ecuador should commemorate the centenary of Darwin's visit, which after all is the Galapagos' chief claim to the interest of the world. They are uninhabited and of little commercial value. Only occasionally does a passing ship anchor in one of their beautiful inlets, and perhaps never again will the venerable tortoises raise their droopy heads and blink their narrow, reptilian eyes at such an important caller as Charles Darwin.

AERONAUTICAL ADVISORY SERVICE

by Captain Raymond Clark

EDITOR'S NOTE:

This department, piloted by Captain Clark, is an open forum for all readers of this magazine. As announced in the previous issue, Captain Clark will endeavor to answer any questions regarding the field of aircraftmanship. If you have a problem of some sort about planes, motors records or routes write the captain a letter. All inquiries will be answered in this department; no replies by mail.

HYAH! Just got in from a Kansas City hop and I find a nice lot of mail from you readers here on my desk. Well, we had fine flying weather, plenty of ceiling, passed a few crates that were a bit slower than our powerful bus, and here we are ready to sit in on another "air chat."

First thing to do, I guess, is to answer a couple of the most urgent letters. These should have been squeezed into our previous issue but they arrived "just too late."

Here's one from the Southland. The writer asks permission to use "initials only." Certainly, and we thank you for really signing your full name. Here it is:

Bridgeport, West Virginia

Dear Capt. Clark:

We appreciate most sincerely the Aeronautical Advisory Service in the Comics Magazine. There are many persons who read this magazine that wouldn't see an aviation magazine for a long, long time.

I am greatly interested in knowing something about Major Ernest Udet, German war ace, stunt flier and a real man. Is he still living and where? If not, when and where and how or what caused his death?

Will look forward to seeing your reply in an early issue of The Comics Magazine.

High Ceilings,

(signed) E. R. T.

P.S.—We'd like this sort of feature in all the magazines we read!

E. R. T.

Thank you kindly, E. R. T. Ernest Udet is very much alive. He has been acclaimed by friend and foe alike as a gallant "enemy" and a gentleman. I regret however that I cannot give you his present address, owing to the nature of his particular work in Germany where he is. I would be glad to forward to him a letter from you if you care to write. Send it here in my care and I will forward it through proper channels. We like to receive letters like yours. Please write again.

HERE'S A RICKENBACKER FAN

El Paso, Texas

Capt. Raymond Clark,

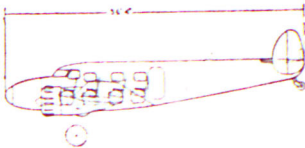
Dear Captain:

I have been told that Capt. Eddie Rickenbacker was the leading American war ace but am unable to learn why or how he rates "tops" among all the Yanks who flew overseas. Can you explain to me what factors enter into the ranking of these famous air fighters? How did a captain top a major, etc.

Thanking you for your help, I am

(signed) Peter F. Mayberry.

Ask me a hard one, Pete! A flying officer's rank, such as lieutenant, captain, major, etc., had nothing to do with his standing in the "aces" class. A flyer became an "ace" when he brought down an enemy plane or balloon. The more of these he knocked down the higher he rose in the "aces ranking." Captain Rickenbacker is the leading American war ace because he has to his credit a total of 25 victories in the air. Twenty-one of these were airplanes and 4 balloons. The next ace in order below Rickenbacker was Second-Lieutenant Frank Luke, with 4 planes and 14 balloons, a total of 18 enemy aircraft. Does this put you in the clear, Pete?



Official drawings of the Lockheed 12-A are shown above and on opposite page. Wing spread 19' 6" and a comparison with the plan of the "Electra" published last month shows this to use more space for freight and fewer passenger accommodations.

At least a half dozen readers have asked virtually the same questions about mounts and magnetos, so I'm grouping the questions here.

Q. What is a motor mount?

A. All airplane motors are bolted to a frame, usually made of tubular chromium-molybdenum steel. This frame is circular for radial engines and oblong shaped for all other engines. To this frame are welded gussets and braces which run to the ends of the longerons where they are fastened by bolts and fittings. This frame is known as a motor mount.



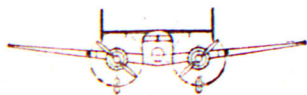
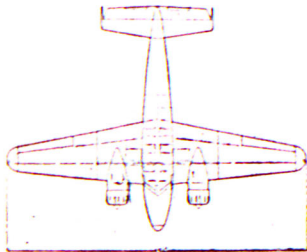
An all-metal Douglas transport of the TWA, "The Lindbergh Line." The ship's two super-charged motors develop 1400 h. p. The cabin accommodates 14 passengers.

Q. How often should motor mounts be inspected?

A. Motor mounts should be inspected for cracks or breaks after every eight or ten hours flying. Before the motor is installed the motor mounts should be cleaned and painted with aluminum paint. Before inspection the motor mount should be washed clean with gas.

Q. What is a magneto?

A. A magneto is a small machine which generates and distributes make-and-break electricity.



Among the many letters on various questions regarding the air field I have one here from young Jerry Malone of St. Paul. Jerry's letter looks to me as though it may start something. He wants to know if I am going to devote a section of this department to the increasingly popular hobby of "airplane model construction." Now that's an idea, Jerry! Suppose we put it up to the readers. There may be a lot more like you who would want to go in for this educational hobby.

There are many good, solid reasons why we should encourage model plane building. Flying is here to stay and to grow. It is already one of America's major industries. Boys all over the country are studying airplane mechanics and thousands of them, no doubt, have already decided on what they will do when they have finished school; they'll go in for flying. Transport pilots, racing flyers, stunt men, discovery. And model building certainly can be of immense help in learning the principles of flight.

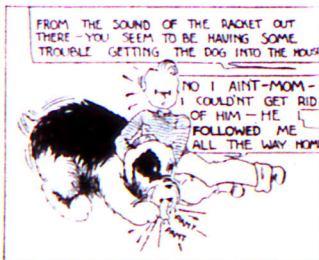
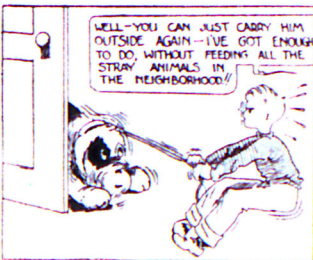
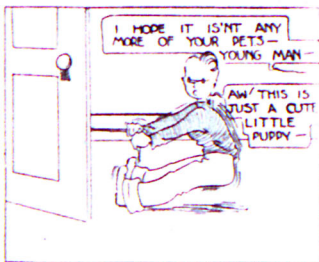
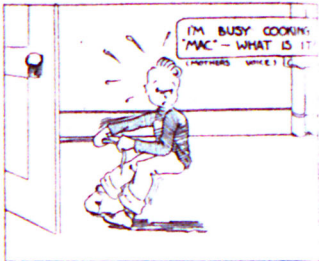
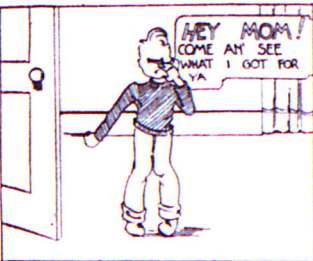
Let's have some more letters on this subject. Come on boys and even girls (girls, too, are piloting their own ships already) write me what you think of a real model airplane course in this magazine. Come on, spread your wings. I think it would be a great stunt. Be waiting for your letters—So long!

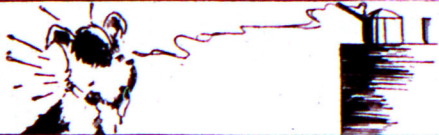
AMATEUR CARTOONISTS — AHoy!

The publishers of this magazine are arranging to compile a census of the amateur cartoonists of this country. Boys and girls—all ages. If you are an amateur and think you have something to offer, write to the Editor of this magazine and tell him your story. Perhaps you are hiding your light under a bushel.

WHISKERS

M. MADOFF





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WONT BRING HOME
ANY MORE



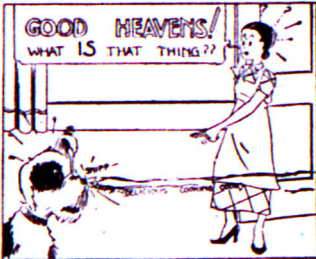
THAT'S WHAT YOU
SAID ABOUT ALL
THE OTHERS



THIS PLACE IS BEGINNING
TO LOOK MORE LIKE
A ZOO TH-TH-THAN--



GOOD HEAVENS!
WHAT IS THAT THING??



SEE MOM- HE LIKES
YOU TOO

DOES HE??-- SEEMS TO
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OTHER MEN IN THIS
HOUSE-- HE KNOWS
WHO DISHES OUT
THE FOOD!



A Crossword Puzzle

An Easy Original

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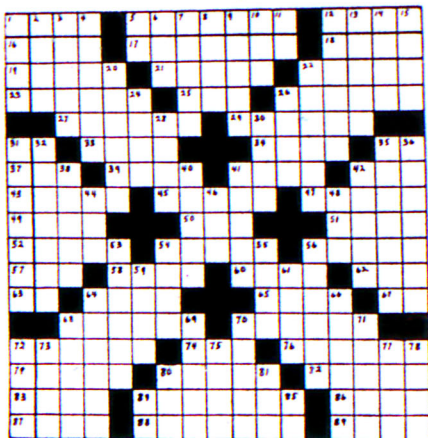
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1. Close friend
5. Blasphemous
12. Bucket
16. Flower

17. Sweetened
18. Staple food of Asia
19. Harden
21. Balloon
22. Conveys
23. Rabbit hound

25. Before
26. Clockers
27. Lost water through a hole
29. Moved forward suddenly
31. Sun-God
33. Rage of plant
34. Discharge liquid
35. Part of "to be"
37. Flims
39. Prepare for publication
41. Greek letter
42. Some
43. External appearances
45. Drunkard; Coll.
47. Years
49. Prefix meaning all
50. Dress
51. Regulated eating
52. Raves
54. Satisfies
56. Reigning Beauty
57. Crafty
58. Appendage
60. Tax or duty
62. Title of respect
63. Plural Suffix
64. Breathe rapidly
65. Opposite of front
67. Short for Cyrus
68. Prepared a trap
70. Stocked to overflowing
72. Acquires knowledge
74. Cheer
76. Regret
79. Fertile spot
80. French capitol
82. More secure
83. On the ocean
84. Describes
86. Dry
87. Net
88. In draughts
89. Helen's home town



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Last Month's Solution

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1. Baby's bed
2. Sharpen
3. Customary
4. Consolidates
5. Post script
6. Massage
7. Stared in an insolent manner
8. Just
9. Equipped with weapons
10. A calmint
11. Boy's name? Short
12. Manual of elementary instruction
13. Assisted
14. Receptacle for ice
15. Not as much
20. Gladdens
22. Extended
26. The pace between a walk and a gallop
28. Give forth
30. Imitator
31. Computation
32. Quadrupeds
35. Like an angel
36. Something beyond comprehension

38. Familiar of Dennis
40. Entire sum
41. Cause to be
42. Indigo plant; pl.
44. Egg of any small insect
46. Cooking vessel
48. Short poem
53. Souls
54. Ground—plot
55. Painful
56. Reproaches
59. Industrious insects
61. Look of malice
64. Outcast
66. Meal
68. Baseball term
69. An order for money
70. Exercise the mind
71. Procrastinate
72. Rich top-soil
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ON THE PROD! HEAD FOR
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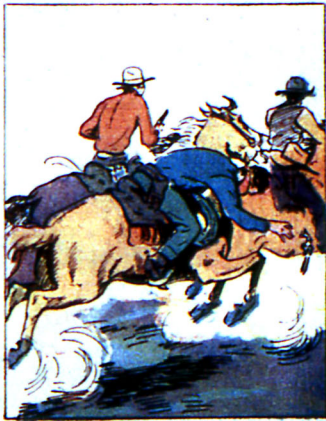
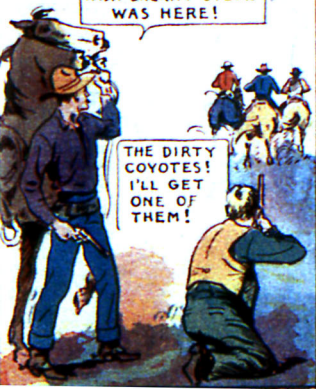
By W.M. Allison
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THAT'LL BE ONE GENT
WHO WON'T TALK!



WISH SHERIFF STEVE
WAS HERE!

THE DIRTY
COYOTES!
I'LL GET
ONE OF
THEM!





I'M FOR QUITTIN'!
WE'RE A HUNDRED
MILES FROM
HOME!

QUIT, EH? LOOKIT
THERE, YUH HEN-
SKINNERS! WE
GOTTEM! THERE'S
THEIR SMOKE!

YUH SEE ANYTHIN'
SHERIFF?

DON'T PUT NO MORE
FUEL ON, NIG! YORE
MAKIN' SMOKE!
SUPPOSE THEY SEE
OUR SMOKE!
DON'T, NIG, DON'T!

SHUT OFF YORE
BELLVACHIN!
IT'S COLDER'N
A GRAVE HERE!

SHHHH—SMITTY'S HERDIN'
'EM IN ON TH' OTHER
SIDE—COME ON, EASY!

REACH FOR THE TREE TOPS!
ONE FUNNY MOVE'LL GIT
YUH A MUDDY GRAVE!
PUT 'EM UP, CAREFUL.
COME ON IN, SMITTY, AN'
GIT THEM PISTOLS!

THE LAW, EH? WELL
YUH GOT THE
WRONG GENTS!
WE AINT —

YOU KILLED BLAKE, YOU
SNAKE! IT'LL BE THE
ROPE FOR YOU!

I'M VOTIN' TO UNLOAD THESE HELLIONS
AN' STAKE 'EM OUT ON TH' RANGE—FEER
TH' WOLVES TO PICK!

NO, WE DIDN'T GET THE LOOT, AN' THEY WON'T TALK. BUT I THINK I'VE GOT THE ANSWER.



—AN NOW YUH ALL SAVVY THE PLAN IT MEANS MY JOB AN' I AIM TO RUN A BLAZER ON TH' BUNCH THAT WANTS MY SCALP. I GOTTA FIND OUT WHERE THESE BUMS CACHED TH' GOLD.



WELL, SANTOS, LOOKS LIKE YOU GENTS ARE GOIN' TO KICK, SURE. TRIED TO HOLD THE CITIZENS BACK, BUT THEY AIM TO MAKE A NECK-TIE PARTY WITH YOU AS THE FIRST — HEY, HERE THEY COME NOW!



HARD-BOILED SANTOS GOES FIRST



NIG! NIG! I TOLD YUH IT'S A LIFE FOR A LIFE!



NIG! — ADIOS NIG! OH MY G — !



WELL, IT'S ANOTHER NIGHT, MEARS. ARE YUH GONNA TELL ME WHERE YUH CACHED THAT BANK GOLD — 'R MAYBE YU'D RATHER LOOK OUT YORE WINDOW, THERE?



EVERY DAY THE SHERIFF HAD THE OLD BARN DOOR PLACED AGAINST MEAR'S WINDOW. EVERY NIGHT IT WAS RE-MOVED—FOR MEARS TO SEE.—FOUR DAYS, AND ALL HIS STARING EYES COULD FIND WAS —



ARE YUH GOIN' TO TELL ME, MEARS? WHERE'S THE GOLD CACHED?

THE SHERIFF'S PLAN WORKS

COME ON, MEARS. THE BOYS ARE GOIN' TO STRING YUH. YUH WOULDN'T TELL SO I'M TURNIN' YUH OVER —



DON'T SHERIFF, FER GAWD'S SAKE, I'LL TELL! IT'S IN A CAVE ON BEARPAW MOUNTAIN! I'LL GIT IT — ONLY SAVE ME!

GOIN' TO HAVE ANOTHER HANGIN' STEVE? 'R GOIN' AFTER TH' GOLD?



WE'RE DIGGIN' GOLD, SAMMY. AN' WE'RE GOIN' PAST TH' HILL!

— I — THOUGHT — IT — WAS —

YEH, MEARS, WE THOUGHT YUH WOULD, TOO. LOOKED LIKE SANTOS FROM YORE CELL WINDOW AT NIGHT, EH? WELL, YORE PARTNER IS SAFE ENOUGH IRONED IN A BLACKSMITH SHOP A MILE AWAY. I WANTED THAT LOOT AN' YOU TWO HOMBRES 'LL GO TO PALENCIO TO STAND TRIAL FER MURDER. COME ON, WE'RE HIGHTAILIN' FER BEARPAW!





THE

MAGIC HAND

By "Presto" Merritt

GREETINGS my friends, and salutations! Here we are again with the trick subject. There have been a good many letters from you readers since our first season under this heading. I wish to thank you all for your appreciation. Just as soon as we can arrange more space for this department we're going to start printing names and letters in everything.

However, I want to mention one of these notes especially. It was from a young fellow named Martin Byron who lives in San Francisco. He writes to ask how the "twenty-cent trick" is done; says that his father remembered it as something to do with coins and a glass. Well, let's take that one for the trick today.

This trick is not really "magic" but it is a neat trick for anybody, and many a fellow or girl can win a soda or a box of candy with it. Now follow me closely and I'll show you how to do it.

THE TWENTY-CENT TRICK

GET yourself a common drinking glass or goblet. Be sure you have two (2) nickels and one (1) dime. Now all you need is a flat fairly smooth surface with a cloth on it; a tablecloth, a napkin or even a handkerchief. And we're all ready for the trick.

Look at the diagram on this page. Note the relative positions of the nickels and the dime. The large circle is the top edge of a drinking glass, inverted. Okay? Now remember there is a tablecloth on your table. Yes? Place your coins as shown. Turn glass upside-down and place the rim (edge) on the two nickels as indicated. The glass will rest easily. Now see what you have.



Through the glass, from any angle, you and your friends can see the dime, of course. Now you declare (you might even make a little harmless wager, say for a soda or something) that you can get that dime out from under the glass without touching the glass or the nickels—or the dime itself. You promise that you will use no hairpins, wire or tools. It sure looks mysterious. Doesn't it?

Your audience stares and frowns and studies the layout with great care, looking even under the table for some hidden trick. Perhaps some one dares you. Maybe you are at dinner and you want to win some friend's dessert. Go ahead, take his bet.

Here's the trick! Place a finger of your left hand around behind the glass so that when you press down you hold the tablecloth firmly from there. Then, with index finger of your right hand you mark a spot between the glass and your own body that completes a direct straight line from your left hand, to the Dime, to your right hand finger. Then, with your finger nail, you start scratching the cloth gently toward you, still holding it tight with your other hand. Watch the dime! Watch it begin

to crawl toward you. Keep scratching and watch the dime crawl straight out to you from under the glass. The nickels are thicker than the dime and this allows the dime to slide cleanly under the edge of the glass and into the open where you can pick it up—and claim your victory. Pretty simple, isn't it? And now watch for the next issue of *Funny Pages*. We'll do another trick. So long and lots o' luck.

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Have several fine books Tarzan Series, etc. Will swap for small Keystone movie projector or what have you. Will send list. Don Bellaire, 380 N. Fair Oaks, Apt. 47, Pasadena, Calif.

Will swap 3 postcards with 4 pictures on each of Bob Steele, Clyde Cook, Done Coleman and others for one dime dated before 1919. Also one bus token for one dime dated same. H. Berg, Jr., 2601 E. Main St., Springfield, Ohio.

Send 50 (or more) different stamps and I will return 50 different of equal value. Stamps returned if you are not satisfied. Carl Temple, 9810 Ridge Road, Brecksville, Ohio.

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Who wants a real live goat with wagon and harness? Will talk turkey with anybody having Belgian hares, fancy pigeons, guinea pigs, calves or poultry breeding stock. J. Castagnaro, 31 Center St., Manchester, Conn. Will trade anything with anybody. Have stamps, coins, pair of binoculars, 8-power, catcher's mitt, harmonica and more. What have you got? Allen Greenberg, 50 Atlantic Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.

Am interested in airplane, ship and railroad train models. Would like to trade with some fellows. Plans, models, instructions. Leonard Wilson Jr., 768 Forest Ave., Mamaroneck, N. Y.

Have all kinds of art goods and equipment. Would like to trade for chemistry outfit or what have you. Andy Struss, 712 West 181st St., New York, N. Y.

Have rifle, 22 cal. Stevens; 12 ga. Smith shotgun, double barrel; also 12 inch brown lace hunting shoes. What will you trade? Joe Latellor, Center Street, Shenandoah, Pa.

PORKCHOPS & GRAVY

By AL STAHL

WHAT DO YOU SAY WE BUY A CAR PORKCHOPS?

SURE BUT HOW MUCH MONEY HAS YO' ALL GOT

I HAS JUST GOT TWO DOLLARS AN FOUR CENTS

WELL I HAS GOT JUST THREE DOLLARS AN FIFTY CENTS

LET'S BUY SOME PARTS AND WE CAN BUILD A CAR MUCH CHEAPER

HOW MUCH DOES YO' WANT FO' ENOUGH PARTS TO BUILD A CAR?

ALL THAT YOU NEEDS FO FIVE DOLLARS

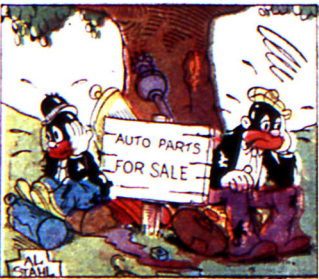
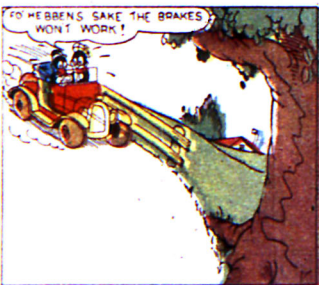
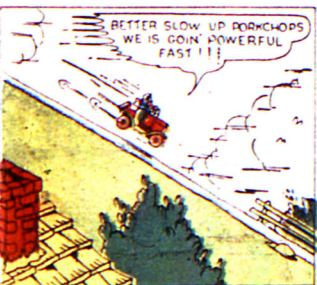
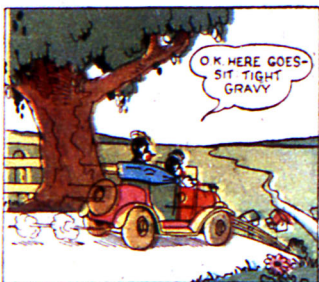
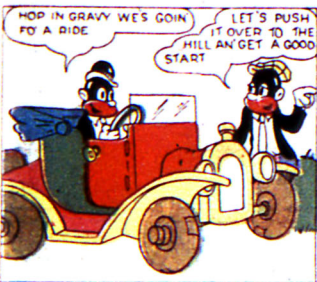
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THIS WILL BE JUST AS GOOD AS UN ROLLS-ROUGH WHEN WE FINISHES IT ALL

YOU'S TELLIN ME

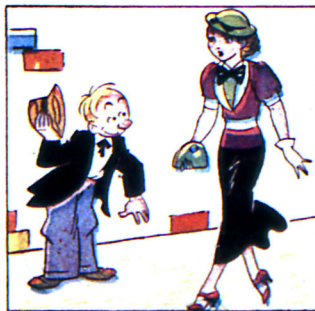
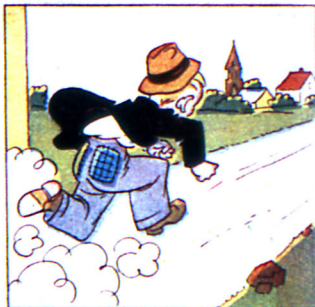
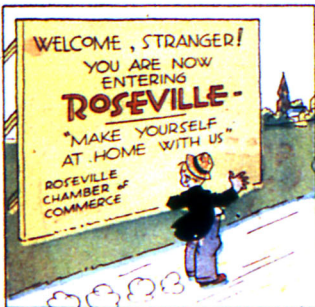
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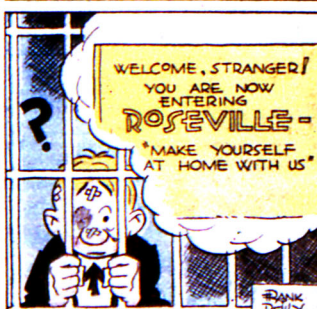
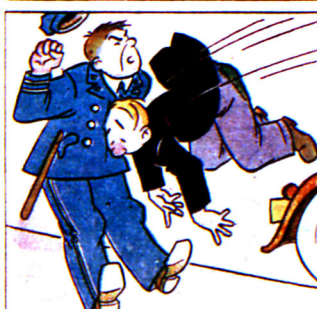
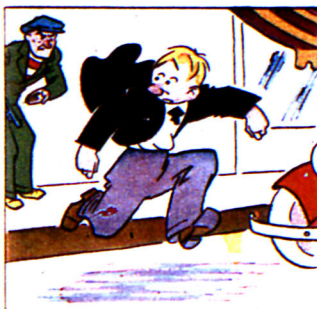
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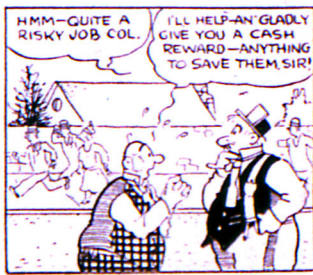
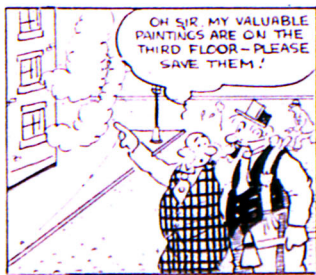
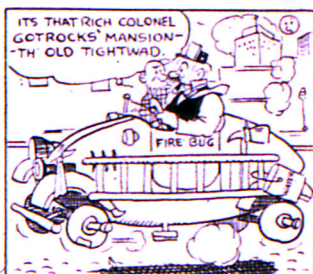
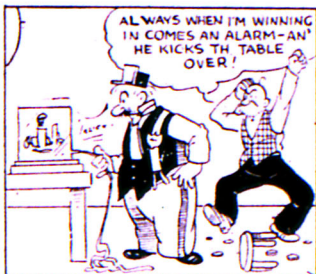
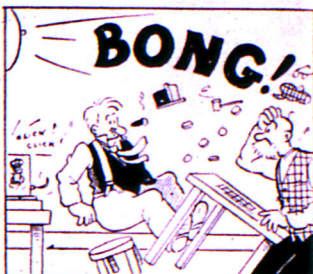
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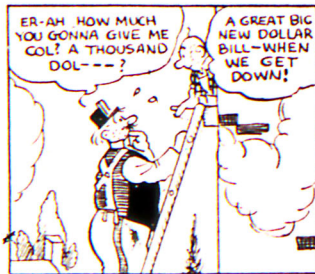
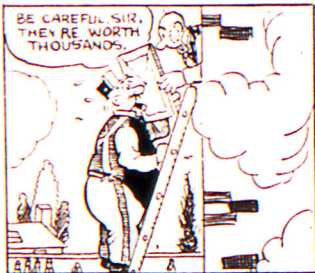
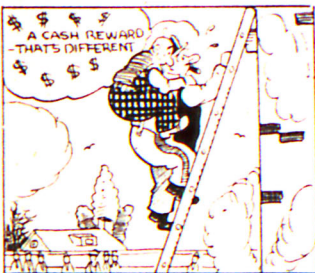




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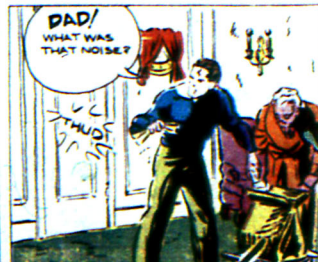
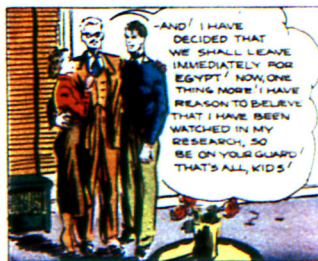
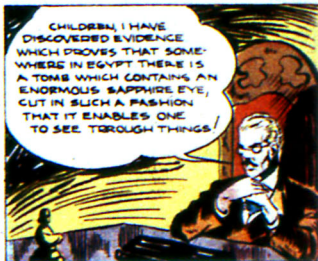
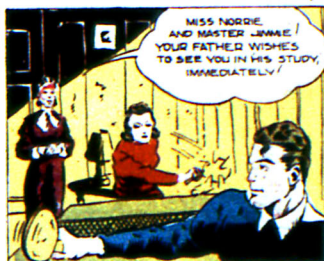


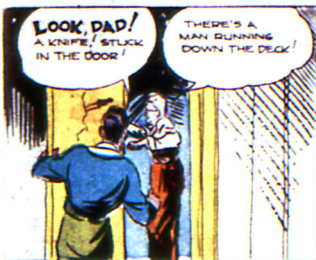


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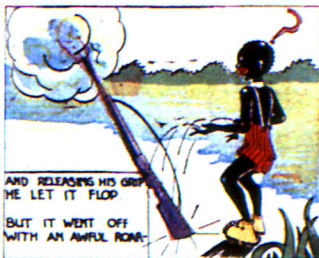
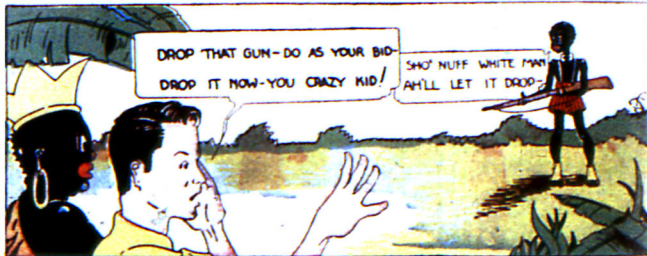
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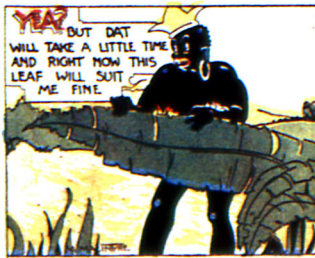
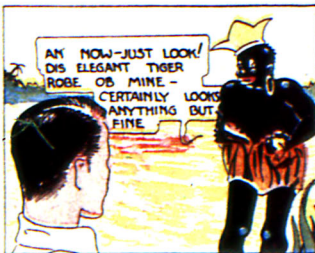




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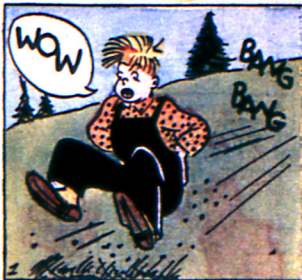
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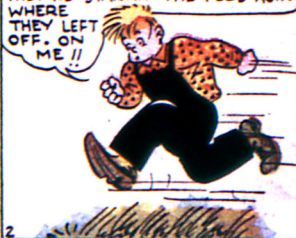


HEZZY OF THE HILLS

By BUSH



IT'S THE TUCKERS, CUSS EM!!
THEY'RE STARTIN' THE FEUD AGIN
WHERE THEY LEFT
OFF. ON
ME!!



AH GOTTA SEE MAH GAL NELL
T'NIGHT AN' AH CAN'T GET
TO HER UNLESS AH PASS THE
TUCKERS PROPERTY, AN' AH
GOTTA SEE NELL T'NIGHT
'CAUSE AH WASHED MAH EARS
AN' NECK 'SPECIAL FO' THE
OCCASION!!

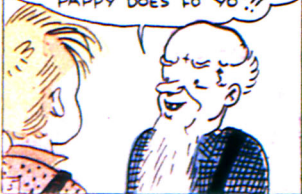


LOOK PAPPY,
THE TUCKERS
HEV' STARTED
THE FEUD
AGIN'

CUSS'D IF THEY
DIDN'T, THE
DERN CRITTERS
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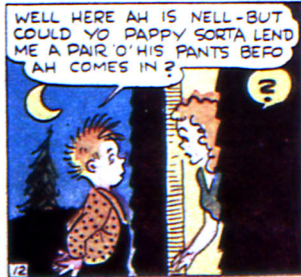
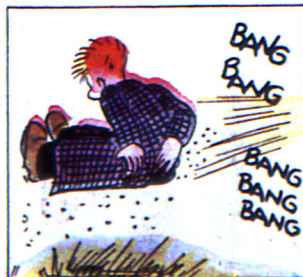
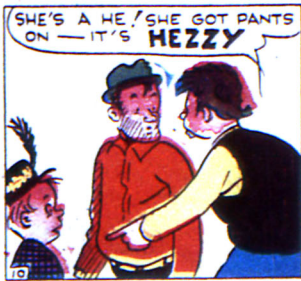
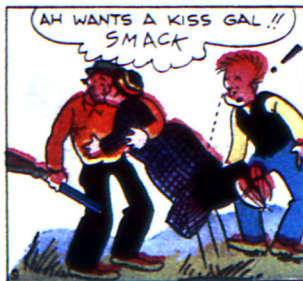
SON, WE'RE GOOD FOLKS SINCE
WE GOT RELIGION IN OUR SOUL,
SO WE WON'T FIGHT 'EM BACK,
BUT YOU'LL SEE NELL T'NIGHT
IF N' IT'S THE LAST THING YO'
PAPPY DOES FO' YO'!!



HERE'S ONE OF MA'S DRESSES—
PUT IT ON—THEY WON'T SHOOT
A LADY.

SWELL
PAPPY!!







THE ADVENTUROUS LIFE STORY of MAJOR FREDERICK LORD

by Palmer

*The Raid on the Commissary at Harlingen, Tex.
took place in the summer of 1915.*

IN THE DAYS PRECEDING THE RAID SEVERAL
SUSPICIOUS CHARACTERS HAD VISITED THE CAMP
AS VENDORS OF SWEETS, OF FRUITS OR SOUVENIRS.



ONE NIGHT WHILE FREDERICK WAS ON GUARD DUTY—

SOME STEALTHY FIGURES PROWLING AROUND THE TENTS
UNDER COVER OF THE DARKNESS CUT THE GUY ROPES.



— AND SAT FIRES TO THE TENTS —



FIRE!
FIRE!



— AND WHILE CONFUSION REIGNED AMONG THE SOLDIERS,





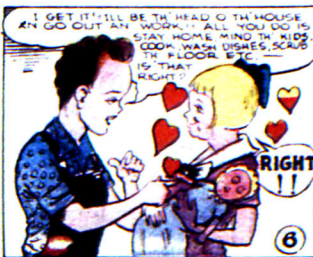
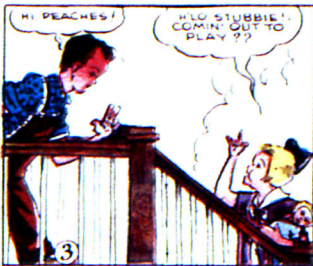
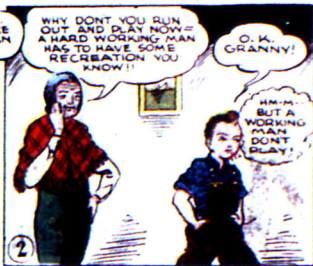
THE ROBBERS STOLE AWAY WITH THE GOODS



WHEN DAWN BROKE, PEACE WAS ONCE MORE RESTORED

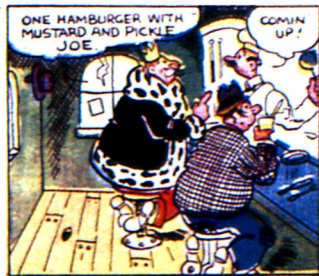
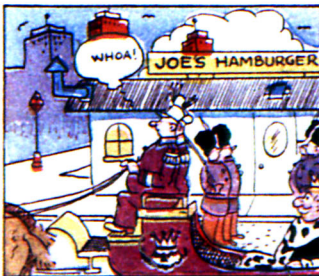
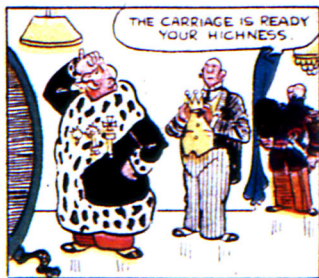
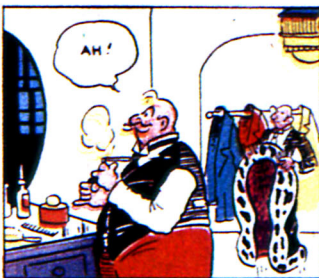
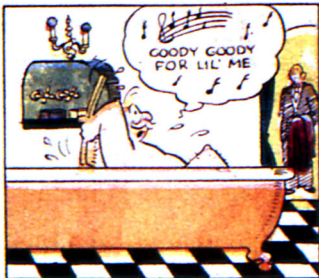
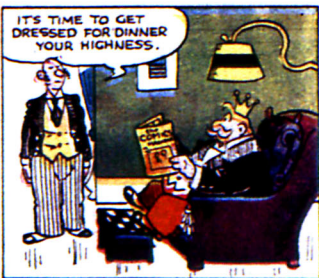


STUBBIE by Clyde Don



KING BUNKO

J.A. PATTERSON



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